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In re application of:

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For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS  
FOR TREATING I DIABETES USING  
GLUTAMIC ACID DECARBOXLASE  
(as amended)

) Examiner: M. Tung

) Art Unit: 1644

) Petition to Extend Time under  
37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

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